



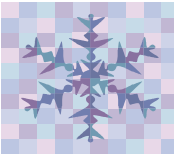
**USDOL - Office of Job Corps  
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## **CD/ACADEMIC/CAREER & TECHNICAL SKILLS CONFERENCE AGENDA**

**Tuesday, February 7, 2006 – Group Session**

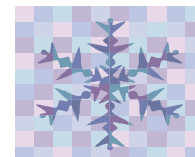
***Room: Ormandy West – Lobby Level***

<b><u>Time(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Topic(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Facilitator(s)</u></b>
<b>8:00 - 8:30</b>	<b>Continental Breakfast</b>	<b>All</b>
<b>9:00-9:45am</b>	<b>Welcome &amp; Introduction New Vision of JC and Region 2 Activities</b>	<b>Lynn Intrepidi Regional Director</b>
<b>9:45 – 10:45</b>	<b>National Office Training Initiatives</b>	<b>John Chowning</b>
<b>Break</b>	<i>All day continuous refreshment breaks</i>	<b>All</b>
<b>11:00-11:30</b>	<b>Regional BCL Consortium Initiative and MPF activities</b>	<b>Joseph Nagel Rob Robinson</b>
<b>Lunch</b>	<b>On your own</b>	<b>ALL</b>
<b>1:30 – 3:00</b>	<b>Regional Literacy/Numeracy Initiative</b>	<b>Dr. Angela McIver Dr. Jeanine Staples</b>
<b>Break</b>	<i>All day continuous refreshment breaks</i>	<b>All</b>
<b>3:15 – 4:30</b>	<b>Regional Literacy/Numeracy Initiative Continued</b>	<b>Dr. Angela McIver Dr. Jeanine Staples</b>
<b>4:30 – 5:00</b>	<b>Regional Updates</b> - <b>GSA Vehicle Underutilization</b> - <b>Major Medical Reimbursements</b> - <b>Accountability/Class Cut Policies</b>	<b>Peter Calvo</b>



**Wednesday, February 8, 2006 – Career & Technical Skills Breakout Session**  
**CD's attend morning sessions – *Room: Ormandy West – Lobby Level***

<b><u>Time(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Topic(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Facilitator(s)</u></b>
<b>8:00 - 8:30</b>	<b>Continental Breakfast</b>	<b>All</b>
<b>8:30 – 9:15 am</b>	<b>Career &amp; Technical Education</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>Managing the Learning Environment</b></li></ul>	<b>Pete Calvo</b>
<b>9:15 – 10:30 am</b>	<b>VRIS and Vocational Changes</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>Measuring Performance</b></li><li>- <b>Change Requests</b></li><li>- <b>CTE Funding</b></li></ul>	<b>Pete Calvo</b>
<b>10:30 – 10:45</b>	<b>Break</b> <i>All day continuous refreshment breaks</i>	<b>ALL</b>
<b>10:45 – 12:00</b>	<b>Vocational Skills Training</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>What does the Region Want?</b></li><li>- <b>Center Perspective</b></li></ul>	<b>Pete Calvo</b>
<b>12:00 – 1:30</b>	<b>Lunch: On your Own</b>	
<b>1:30 – 2:30</b>	<b>Involving Instructors in Job Development</b>	<b>Tom McDermott</b> <b>April Simmons</b>
<b>2:30 – 3:00</b>	<b>Tool Kit Policy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>Who gets tool kits?</b></li><li>- <b>Are students getting tool kits?</b></li></ul>	<b>Allen Abey, Dana Kelly</b> <b>Vocational Committee</b>
<b>3:00 – 3:15</b>	<b>Break</b> <i>All day continuous refreshment breaks</i>	<b>All</b>
<b>3:15 – 4:45</b>	<b>Certifications – How to get them</b>	<b>Molly Taleb</b>
<b>4:45 – 5:00</b>	<b>VST Competition</b>	<b>James Kennedy</b> <b>Vocational Committee</b>



## Wednesday, February 8, 2006 – Academic Session

CD's attend all **Afternoon** sessions – *Room: Maestro (Fourth Floor)*

Wednesday, February 8, 2006

<u>Time(s)</u>	<u>Topic(s)</u>	<u>Facilitator(s)</u>
8:30	<i>Shareefah Reese, Introduction</i>	
8:30 – 9:30	National Office Initiatives/Perspective	<b>Lynne Frye</b> National Office
<i>All day continuous refreshment breaks</i>		
9:30 – 12:00	<i>Josephine Maisano, Moderator</i> <b>Effective High School Programs</b> Kentucky HSD Program Kentucky Plato System for HS Recovery Kentucky Plato System for GED Study <b>DC After School Program</b>  <b>New Summit High School Program</b>	<b>Jim Price</b> Muhlenberg County School <b>Don Fitzhugh</b> Muhlenberg JCC <b>Wilbur Miller and</b> <b>Malcolm Poole</b> Ballou Stay High School <b>Jeff Barton</b> Potomac JCC <b>Dr. Nancy Boyll</b>
12:00 – 1:30	Lunch (on your own)	
1:30 – 3:00	<i>Charles Trail, Moderator</i> <b>Community College Partnerships</b> Center/CC relationships On-line College Courses College Application Process College Financial Aide – FAFSA/PELL Grants Community College Grants Class activities when classes are not scheduled Managing the Community College Training Day Certificate Programs New Technology Training at Community Colleges Improved OMS and CTS outcomes On-center trade linkages Pre-college classes on center College/JCC agreements	<b>Dr. George Humphreys</b> Madisonville Community College <b>Dr. Mary Lou Kennedy</b> Community College of Allegheny County <b>Kelly Miller</b> Perkins JCC <b>Sherri Kronk</b> Muhlenberg JCC <b>Sandi Collins</b> Perkins JCC <b>Debbie Berner</b> Pittsburgh JCC

**Wednesday, February 8, 2006 – Academic Session (Continued)**

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<b><u>Time(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Topic(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Facilitator(s)</u></b>
<b>3:00 – 3:15</b>	<i>All day continuous refreshment breaks</i>	
<b>3:15 – 5:15</b>	<i>Lynn Intrepidi, Introduction</i>	
	<b>Learning Disabilities</b> IEPs, working/partnering with school systems Classroom strategies Improved Services to Students	<b>Diane Fairchild</b> <b>Humanitas, Inc.</b>

**Thursday, Feb. 9, 2006 – Planning Session**

***Room: Ormandy West – Lobby Level***

<b><u>Time(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Topic(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Facilitator(s)</u></b>
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<b>8:00 - 8:30</b>	<b>Continental Breakfast</b>	<b>All</b>
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<b>8:30 – 10:15</b>	<b>Integrating Academic and CT Training Group Planning Sessions</b>	<b>Lynn Intrepidi</b>
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<p><i>The New Vision of Job Corps and Goal of the Region is to Improve Rigor and Relevance of Training to Promote Higher Program Outcomes</i></p>	
<b>QUESTIONS</b>	<b>CONSIDERATIONS</b>
<b>Where are you now? Where do you want to be? How do you get there? What are the potential barriers?</b>	<b>Curriculum and Materials Instructional Methodologies Organizational Structure of Center Quality Assurance – OMS Outcomes</b>

<b>10:30 – 11:00</b>	<b>E-Mentoring Opportunities</b>	<b>Lucia Bruce DOL Women's Bureau</b>
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<b>11:00 – 12:00</b>	<b>OBS Status Report &amp; Wrap-up</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>OA/CTS Conference Highlights</b></li><li>- <b>Low OBS Strategies and Suggestions</b></li><li>- <b>Admissions Counselor Recommendations</b></li><li>- <b>McNeil Technologies – CTS Support</b></li></ul>	<b>Lynn Intrepidi</b>    <b>Tonya Washington</b>
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